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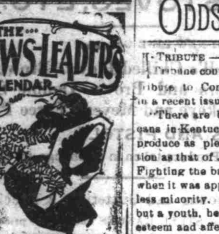

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KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES—Meets every first Wednesday of each month.

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Jack W Thompson, Judge.

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W R Thurman, } Deputies
H B Powell, }
Ed Masters, }
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John Grace, Marshal.
W O Reed, City Attorney.

JUSTICE COURT.

Justice courts are held in January, April, July and October.

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ODDS AND ENDS OF GOSSIP.

A TRIBUTE—The Owensboro Messenger pays a very glowing tribute to Congressman Lewis in a recent issue. It says:

"There are but few Republicans in Kentucky whose names produce as pleasurable a sensation as that of John W. Lewis. Fighting the battles of the party when it was apparently a hopeless minority, and when he was but a youth, he has grown in the esteem and affection of his countrymen, until the new party is a great party and John W. Lewis one of its trusted leaders. At home, his word has been his bond; he has never been forsaken by political allies as well as opponents, alike, accord to him the courage of his convictions, and that attribute of true manhood, which could never, under any circumstances, do an unworthy act. His friends here, who have known him through many years, would take his word, concerning any measure, however important, or regardless of what it might portent. If personal and moral courage, added to intellectual ability of high order, and the qualities of an orator at once persuasive and convincing, be passports to a great place then John W. Lewis possesses the qualifications to represent Kentucky in the U. S. Senate.

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A BIG ITEM—I notice that the effervescent correspondent of the daily papers from Danville made a very large and important item out of the arrest of the fellow Micheal Persile, as he calls himself, who skipped out from St. Rose the other day with a gun belonging to Bro. Anthony. A special to the Courier Journal contained a long interview with Sheriff Craycroft who made the arrest, and that gentleman declares he never talked with, or saw, anyone that even looked like a newspaper correspondent. The item has been going the rounds of all the papers that Persile has confessed to being a spy and has been put at work on the rock pile at Danville. Under what kind of a statute a man could be fined for being a spy, or convicted and put on a rock pile in Boyle county for an offense committed in Washington, I am not lawyer enough to tell, but that correspondent I have no doubt could. The truth is that Mr. Persile is from all appearances just an ordinary crank, and his offense was to leave a place where he had been kindly given shelter for a time, without saying good bye, and taking with him a gun to which he could prove no right or title. He was arrested in Danville by our high sheriff, put in the Springfield jail, confessed to being guilty of petty larceny, fined thirty dollars, and will probably be put on the rock pile to work it out as soon as the weather moderates: Thus endeth the romance of Micheal Persife.

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THEY MAKE RINGLETS—"They are always telling something on us girls," said a young Miss the other day. "I wish you would say something about these horrid boys who try to make themselves look pretty. I mean those with long hair. Why, don't you know, that they primp so that they have actually, some of them bought curling irons and curling kids and every night they curl their hair just like us girls. It's a fact; if they do deny it I know it's so. They needn't think they can make fun of us girls when they are the vainest things on earth themselves."

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IT IS NEEDED—Something that is needed in this town just now, and should, I think be a paying investment, is a good public hall. Since the NEWS-LEADER office has been moved into the only one in the town, the public is left practically without any place for a public gathering or a chance show that might come our way to hold out. I don't see why the parties who are to build the business block on Main and Wall streets don't take the matter up and run their building up a story or two higher and make a good hall or opera house. It would be a paying investment and besides the proprietors would be regarded as public benefactors.

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THE TOWN HOG—Speaking of what the town needs, I heard a housekeeper kicking loud and eloquently the other day on the town hog nuisance. "It's a shame," he said, "that we can't have a stock ordinance in the town. There are times when the hogs and the town cows literally take the place. Why, you can't raise a bush in your front yard for the cows, and if you are not careful with your gates the hogs will make a lodging place of your front door steps."

I agree with my friend about the nuisance, but the town hog appears to be a necessary evil in villages, and I don't believe there will be any remedy until the town developes into a city of some class with a mayor and councilmen and other adjuncts which, however, too frequently turn out to be as much trouble as the town hog.

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DEVOTION—An example of a wife's devotion to her husband was clearly given recently in the case of Dr. Ewell, who was indicted on two very serious and ugly charges at the recent term of our circuit court. On one of the charges the doctor was indicted and Judge Patterson held him over without bail and he had a good prospect of languishing in jail to await trial for his crime. Now, it happens that the doctor, like so many unworthy, not to say worthless husbands, is blessed with a wife whose devotion is unbounded, and whose bravery can but be admired by all, however much the object of her efforts may be condemned. It is said that this little woman, with a five months old babe in her arms, has undergone hardships in riding over the country in the effort to get witnesses and bondsmen for her husband, that would have taxed the strength of a man, and that her pleadings with our big and big hearted Judge Patterson brought tears to the eyes of that official, which all but blinded him to the cold facts in the case until he was ready to grant to the little wife almost anything she might have asked. It all did end in the Court allowing the accused a bond of one thousand dollars, and it is said that the little wife sold, mortgaged and borrowed money on all of the little property she and her mother possessed to secure bond for her errant husband. I am told that a certain local lawyer told the doctor that if he ever mistreated the little wife or did anything that would in any way show that he was unworthy of such devotion, that he ought to be taken out and whipped to pieces, and I don't know but what the lawyer was about right.

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MCCHORD—The San Fransisco Examiner, in publishing an account of the rejection of the Goebel bill in the Kentucky Senate which affected the charter of the Southern Pacific R. R. Company, publishes a picture and a sketch of Senator C. C. McChord. The following is the sketch:

"Senator C. C. McChord, the representative of the Fifteenth District of Kentucky in the upper house of the Legislature, who ably seconded Senator Goebel in his fight, resides in Springfield. He is an ex-Commissioner of Railroads, and in that capacity came into conflict with the railroad powers of Kentucky notably the Louisville & Nashville, which on a small scale emulates Southern Pacific methods. Mr. McChord is still a young man, but has an enviable reputation as a lawyer. He is well liked by his colleagues in the Senate. He ably seconded Senator Goebel in his fight for the repeal of the charter of the Southern Pacific Company of Kentucky. He is too honorable to stoop to lobby methods, and like Senator Goebel made a fair and open fight in behalf of California.

··WITH OUR FARMERS··

Notices stock, seed or grain, wanted or for sale or exchange inserted in this column FREE OF CHARGE. Farmers are requested to send in stock or crop items for publication.

J. C. Clements has a good jersey cow and young calf for sale.

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F. M. Campbell sold the other day two hogs weighing 505 and 415 pounds respectively.

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Now is the time to advertise your stallions, and in the NEWS-LEADER columns is the place.

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J. A. Walker & Bros., at their place five miles North of Springfield, will stand a fine coach stallion and also a good jack. Season low.

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Wheat crop in Washington county is reported by farmers to be looking decidedly alive. We have heard several declare that some of the crops wod't make the seed.

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Mr. Palmer Grundy last week shipped to the Louisville market 65 fat hogs of his own raising. His pens are full again with another lot he will have ready for the June market.

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Says a horseman of national reputation: "When business again revives, many horsemen will rub their eyes as they awake to the fact that they made a grevious mistake in not breeding their mares."

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Mr. T. Scott Mayes, of this place, has a Poland China brood sow purchased at a recent sale held on Illinois State Fair ground, Springfield, Ill. This sale is probably the greatest hog sale held in this country. Fifty-five head realized $5,500, or an average of $100 per head. Ten head averaged $356.90, and two of the lot averaged $534.

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Plowing will soon begin. How many harrows, plows binders and mowers laid out in the weather all winter, says the Russellville Ledger. About two miles from this city there is a mower and wheat binder standing right out in the open field, where the owner left it last year when he got through cutting wheat. The machine was, last July, worth about $100. It is worth now, including rust and all, about $4, that is, rating old iron at fifteen cents per hundred. Hard times are given birth to every year in some of these fields.

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It is requested that tobacco growers throughout Kentucky meet at their respective county seats on Monday, March 30, at 2 o'clock p. m., and elect one or more practical tobacco growers as delegates to attend a State Convention of Tobacco Growers to be held at Louisville, Ky., Wednesday, April 8, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at Beck's Hall on West Jefferson street. Arrangements will be made for special rates on the railroads for the occasion. The convention at Louisville is for the purpose of of effecting a State organization that will advance the interests of the industry.

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A car loaded with live poultry attracted considerable attention at the depot, says the Lebanon Enterprise. It was filled by Mudd & Peterson, of Springfield, who are buying up all the chickens, ducks, etc., in this section and taking them to New York. A car will contain from five to six thousand head of poultry, the average weight being about five pounds, so it will be seen that from 25,000 to 30,000 pounds of poultry are shipped in each car. Most of these fowls came from Taylor county, and the enterprising dealers have distributed quite a sum of money in that county and in this. In Taylor county they also purchased over three thousand dozen of eggs, paying 8 1-3 cents cash for same.

Do not wear impermeable and tight-fitting hats that contract the blood vessels of the scalp. Use Hall's Hair Renewer occasionally, and you will not be bald.

OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

FENWICK.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

We are having the "lion" part of March just now, and the mythical prophesy of the phylosophical "ground hog" may yet be verified.

Though the weather was not propitious on Sunday, several persons from a distance attended religious services at this place.

Mr. Jas. Ryans and sister Nannie, of Lebanon, were the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Sally Fenwick, Saturday and Sunday.

Master Bernard Brey, of Whitesville, Daviess county, is visiting his brother, Rev. Celestine Brey, at the parsonage at this place.

Miss Lizzie Montgomery, of Louisville, is spending a few weeks with relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, of Springfield, were visiting T. J. Nally on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Thompson, with Miss Maggie, of Fredericks town, spent some days last week with their mother, Mrs. Dianna Smith, and other friends in the village.

James M. Janes made a business trip to Lebanon last week.

Mrs. Sally E. Fenwick was hastily summoned to New Market on Wednesday last to the bedside of her sister-in-law and niece, Mrs. Lenard Spalding and daughter; the latter is said to be fatally burned; while the mother in her frantic attempts to extinguish the flamesion her burning child, burned the flesh from her hands until amputation will be necessary to save her life.

The general indications in our neck of the woods are for a full acreage of crops. Tobacco men are in most cases preparing to increase the acreage on that particular line. More plant beds are sown and under construction than for any previous season, but the shortage in plants last year has caused to some extent, yet the out put for a larger acreage is being prepared than common.

Active farmers claim that the chronic cry of "hard times" is less frequent, and to the man who really wants to work for a living, there is not only a place but a demand for him on the farm at living wages.

POLIN.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Farmers in this locality are through sowing tobacco seed and most of their plowing.

Mr. Ike Lynch entertained the young folks with a music social last Saturday night.

Mr. D. P. Bishop has returned after a three months stay with friends and relatives in Owensboro.

Miss Emma Barlow, of Mooresville, was the pleasant guest of Miss Lula Crow, Thursday last.

Mrs. Fannie Eddleman visited Mrs. Lou Williams and family last week.

Miss Jennie Bodine is spending the week with Miss Fannie Hays.

S. H. Bishop and Dan Niel were in Bloomfield Friday last.

Mr. Hance Scott was at Bloomfield last week and one of his horses became frightened at the train and ran into a barbed wire fence, cutting all four of his legs and injured himself severely.

Frank Chesser bought William Darnell's farm at $490.

Murry Hardin has moved back here to live; he came back Thursday last.

Mr. Davis Crow, of Beechland, was over home at Polin Saturday and Sunday last.

Mr. James Sims and wife, of Fenwick, visited Mr. Joe Hall and wife Saturday and Sunday.

TEXAS.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Nothing of a sensational nature has occurred in our midst since our last report. Now and then a commercial man, dropping in our little village exhibits a line of samples, hoping to increase his sales. Then again, a piano agent, with his smooth flowing language, accompanied at intervals by the melodious notes.

Our farmers are still discussing scientifically the best way time for plowing, and the care of "Spring lambs," and how to obtain the best yield of oats.

The thing our people are taking the most interest in, is our Normal School, which is to begin March 23, and continue sixteen weeks. Prof. J. Lee Thompson, a graduate of Lebanon, Ohio, will have charge of the work. This is an opportunity for the teachers and those preparing for better work. Mr. Thompson is a wide-a-wake man, and thoroughly up in his work.

Miss Sallie Shewmaker, of Mackville is the guest of her sister Mrs. Dude Cocanougher.

Miss Bettie B. Debo, and Miss Lucy Ray were in Lebanon Saturday and Sunday.

Last Saturday R. E. Wayne lost a check between this place and your town; the finder will please return the check to the owner and receive reward.

Miss Stella Gregor is on the sick list.

Nory Carston and wife, of Gravel Switch, visited the family of Charlie Brady Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. Samuel Baker, Jefferis Yager and John Prather, of Boyle county, spent Sunday at this place.

BEECHLAND.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Brother farmer it is time for you to wake up and know what is going on—on the outside. Take your county paper and also some other good weekly newspaper, Post yourself and have opinions and convictions of your own. It is of the best interest to your county paper to give the people the facts and matter and things proper to be published. Patronize your county paper and the Editor will be able to give you facts, and incidents as they are transpiring.

Stows have been few and far between this season, and the one on Saturday and Sunday was not an unwelcome visitor, though labor was suspended for a short while.

The young ladies of this neighborhood have organized a Y.G.C.J. society which promises to be quite an addition to the social feature of our community.

A new public school building has been erected in our midst.

Lodge No. 30 met at their new home last Saturday night for the first time.

Prayer meeting was held at Mr. J. S. Gregory last Thursday night.

Mr. Hubert Hoard is with us once more, after an absence of several months. He will remain only a short time.

Mr. Robert Thompson of your town visited his parents at this place one day last week.

Mr. Elijah Lewis, of Cincinnati, was at this place the first of the week.

Miss Martha Hays has returned to her home after being at the bedside of her sister for several days.

Miss Mary Merritt has been very ill at her home near here, but we are glad to say is now somewhat improved.

MCINTIRE.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

It seems as winter's reign is not quite over yet, as we all woke up last Monday morning and found mother earth all carpeted with the white velvety snow.

Miss Prudie Nally, of this place, leaves this week for New Haven where she will attend school to her brother, Prof. Jas. Nally.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Osbourne passed through this place last Saturday enroute to Clementsville.

Messrs. Hayden and Wm. Buckler, of St. Marys, visited this place last Monday to look at some yearling colts.

Mr. Eugene Hill visited St Marys last Sunday: there surely is some attraction over there for Mr. Genie, as he is such a frequent visitor.

Messrs. Jas. Fields and J. H. Hill, of this place, visited Beechland last Monday on business.

Farmers are busy sowing oats and preparing corn ground.

Miss Annie Lee Nally, of Cecilville, spent last week with her uncle Frank Nally.

Master Cleveland Hill is on the sick list.

Mr. Griffin, of Loretto, will move into this vicinity the last of the week.

Misses Lulie and Prudie Nally spent last Friday night in Cecilville with their uncle John Nally.

Mrs. Glascow, of Cecilville, spent Saturday and Sunday with the family of J. B. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs B. R. Waters gave a very enjoyable dining last Tuesday.

Sale for stock is quite dull in this neighborhood.

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Not to be Trifled With.

[From Cincinnati Gazette.]

Will people never learn that a "cold" is an accident to be dreaded, and that when it occurs treatment should be promptly applied? There is no knowing where the trouble will end; and while complete recovery is the rule, the exceptions are terribly frequent, and thousands upon thousands of fatal illnesses occur every year ushered in by a little injudicious exposure and seemingly trifling symptoms. Behind this there are today countless invalids who can trace their complaints to "colds," which at the time of occurrence gave no concern, and were therefore neglected. When troubled with a cold use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy; it is prompt and effectual; 25 and 50c per bottle.

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TRULY ASTONISHING—Miss Annette Moen, Poinsett, Miss., says "Dr. King's Cherry Pectoral has had a wonderful effect in curing my brother's children of a severe and dangerous cold. It was truly astonishing how speedily they found relief after taking this preparation."

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THURSDAY, M'CH. 19, 1896.

E. L. DAVISON, JR.

ANOTHER record breaking Kentucky Legislature has ad journed and the people are giv en a rest, and the flow of abuse and bad names which has been poured upon our State from the outside, has ceased, it is to be hoped. Kentucky's Legisla tures for the past several ses sions have been remarkable, but for nothing good. The last, be fore this one, was remarkable for its length of term as well as for its impotency in passing any measure for the good of our State government, and now comes along this last which not only failed to accomplish any thing for good, but by disgrace ful methods practiced, has in vited criticism and censure from all the outside world. The bit terness and ill feeling engendered by the contest for U. S. Senator and which for the time made the representatives behave more like hoodlums than gentlemen may survive the present session, and has doubtless already done more towards making enemies among previously good friends, than years of time can correct. May we never have another such even if Kentucky be compelled to get along with only one U. S. Senator.

JACK CHINN has sheathed his bowie and put up his pistols and got upon the raging platform after the session closed the other night, and "orated" at a great rate. And yet the woodcock held his peace.

THE Democratic press and the Democratic Senate censure Gov. Bradley for calling out troops to prevent trouble at Frankfort. Of course, what could be more natural?

WILLISBURG.

Being as your regular correspondent vacated his reportorial chair just as the "boom" struck our burg, I concluded to jot down a few items to your valuable paper. I shall not aim to give your readers as newsy a letter as your regular correspondent, for I would have to draw on my imagination too much, but shall try and deal in facts.

Our little city can boast of three dry goods stores, one grocery store, one drug store, blacksmith shop, a wagon maker, first class hotel, a flouring mill, distillery, two preachers, a judge, two attorneys, and a wonderful sight of loafers and busy bodies, and best but not least, a fine school, presided over by Miss Fay Sutherland.

Merritt Searcy of this place is visiting his better half at Lawrenceburg.

John L. Searcy made a business trip to Lawrenceburg last Monday.

The Misses Hawkins, of Lawrenceburg, have rented the property of William Shewmaker in our burg. We cordially welcome such citizens in our midst.

S. B. Noel, of Brooksville, is now a full fledged attorney.

Reed & Sutherland, attorneys, have formed a partnership to prosecute claims before the Pension Department at Washington.

James Brown's flouring mill at this place, under the supervision of G. W. Morgan, of Richmond, Ind., is nearing completion, and if we have favorable weather, by next Wednesday week we can have our wheat ground at home.

On last Thursday evening, Miss Mayme Merritt and Maurice Cheatham entertained their friends at the residence of Mr. J. M. Hiatt, on his Silver Lake farm, in honor of his son, Dr. W. W. Hiatt. Those present were: Misses Hestes Ross, of Springfield, Lula and Lena Reed Laura and Dora Simms, Lillie Burton, Mary Grider, Ida Barr; Messrs. Bundles and Ed Sutherland of Rose Hill, John Melvoy, Tom Miller, John Seay, Ed Wells. All report a good time. OLD FOGG.

SHARPSVILLE.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

James Acors died at his residence at this place on the 11th inst. He had recently maved here from Tatum's Springs. He leaves a widow and four small children to mourn his loss; and to them we extend our profound sympathy in this their gaeat bereavement.

Mr. Dawson, of Wady, Shelby county, visited his sister Mrs. Acors last Saturday.

Mrs. Levisa Bottoms, aged 87 years, died at the home of her grandson, George Walker, near Rockbridge, on the 15th.

Mrs. Wm. Case is reported to be somewhat better, but still in a precaaious condition.

Thos. A. Tatum and wife, of Mooresville, were visiting in this vicinity seqeral days last week.

Charlie Montgomery, of Brookeville, was visiting his relatives near here on Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Hryes was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Mahala Brown, last Manday.

BORN—To the wife of William Young, on the 2d, a fine girl.

J. T. Cutsinger has left the old home place and moved with his widowed mother.

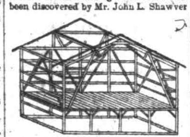
I have been here for a long time and in all my lite I never saw such poor prospects for a wheat crop.

Those who have been plowing, inform me that there are good prospects for an abundant crop of cutworms this year.

IMPROVED BARN FRAME.

An Ohio Man's Cheap and Excellent Way of Making It.

One benefit of the agricultural depression of the past few years will be to force farmers to find simple and economical methods of doing everything, even to putting up buildings. Such a method of constructing a barn frame has been discovered by Mr. John L. Shawver



PLANK BARN FRAME.

of Bellefontaine, O. He sends drawings and descriptions of the structure to The Breeder's Gazette, from which the illustrations here shown are reproduced.

An architect to whom Mr. Shawver submitted the plans said this plank barn frame was stronger than if it had been made of solid timber. How the builder managed to make it so will be seen from the illustrations.

Many people go to visit Mr. Shawver's cheap, strong barn. As will be

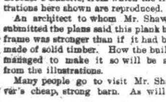


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FIG. I—END BENT. FIG. II—INTERIOR BENT. FIG. III—SIDE VIEW.

seen, it has no cross ties, which is a great advantage in mowing away hay. A horse fork or sling can be manipulated to much better advantage.

The smaller parts, joints and various details of the structure are seen in the last group of illustrations.

One of the chief merits of the plank barn frame is its diminished cost as compared with the old style. On this

PLATE AND PURLIN.

point Mr. Shawver writes: It took two of us four days to get ready to raise. Counting labor at $2 per day and 50 cents for boarding, the cost of framing my barn was $20. If framed of solid timber in the old way it would have taken us about four weeks, or for labor and board the cost would have been $120, a saving of $100.

BUYING DIAMONDS.

A STORY OF HOW WOMEN CONDUCT THE TRANSACTION.

A Jeweler Tells Why He Refused to Place a Price on a Gem—Dealers Stand by Each Other In That Respect—Error Regarding the Standard Value of Diamonds.

To the private office of a prominent jeweler yesterday entered a middle aged woman, richly caparisoned in flounce and furbelow, and evidently forming part of the dough that makes the upper crust. She held in one hand a diamond earring. The jewel was large and brilliant. With entire coolness of demeanor she said: "I lost the mate to this. Will you be kind enough to tell me what it will cost to get another exactly like it?"

The jeweler eyed her keenly and then said, "Madam, where did you lose your earring?"

The effect of this simple question upon the woman was surprising. She was evidently unprepared for the query, and there was certainly something in it that disturbed her. "It makes no difference where I lost it," she answered in a decidedly sharp tone. "What will it cost me to obtain another exactly like this?" and she held up the sparkling stone.

"Did you advertise for the one you lost, madam?" persisted the jeweler blandly.

"What has that got to do with the matter?" she replied in an angry tone.

"Well, madam," was the smiling reply, "if you advertise for the earring which you lost, you might recover it, and then you would not be placed under the necessity of ascertaining what it would cost to replace it. Advertise first, madam, and if you do not recover the jewel come in again and I will answer your questions." Saying this the diamond dealer politely bowed the now fretting and fuming woman to the door.

"Why will women lie in such small affairs," said the jeweler wearily, "and why will nearly every purchaser of a diamond look upon the merchant with whom he or she deals as a rascal? That woman hasn't lost an earring. She has purchased a pair, perhaps on trial, and she will go to nearly every jeweler in town with that petty lie and endeavor to get a price upon that stone. It is one of the finest of diamonds and evidently came from one of our leading dealers, whom she insists on believing is engaged in a scheme to rob her. The chances are that she will eventually get in the hands of some unscrupulous merchant, whom she can find even in big stores. He will tell her that the stone is 'off color' and contains a flaw. He will show her a poor diamond of the same size as the other, and fix upon it a price which he knows is less than the fine brilliant could be sold for. The result will be that madam will send her fine brilliant back in a rage and buy the inferior stone for twice what it is worth. This evil has grown to such an extent that it is sometimes impossible to detect the fraudulent character of the stories brought us. They are all very ingenious. As a result, big houses, except in rare cases, refuse to place prices upon jewels brought to them."

The jeweler continued: "People have the queerest notions about diamonds and other jewels, and some of them give us much trouble. The most general delusion is that diamonds have a standard value just as arbitrarily fixed as that of a double eagle. You will frequently hear people say, 'It is an excellent investment to place your money in fine diamonds, for they are worth just so much a carat, and you can always sell them for just what you paid for them.' My lady buys a handsome brooch for $700, and after wearing it a year or two endeavors to sell it to her jeweler, or, perhaps, to his rival. She is offered $200 for it. She then throws up her hands and lifts up her voice and protests that she has been swindled. What nonsense is all this! With diamonds, as with other merchandise, a stone is worth exactly what it will bring. Were it otherwise there could be no profit in diamond dealing. How could I make money in selling double eagles when I would have to pay $20 for them and could not sell them for a penny more?

"Here is a very fine Indian brilliant upon my finger. I bought it at a forced sale and paid nearly $800 for it. Yesterday I was offered $1,300 for it, but I would not sell because I am in love with the stone. Yet I cannot say that the stone is worth $1,300. It was worth it at the time that sum was offered for it by one who wanted it, but if I were compelled to sell it next week at 24 hours' notice I might not get $600 for it. Why should a woman expect to wear a brooch for two years and then obtain for it the same money she paid for it? Last week I bought a new carriage and paid $1,800 for it. I said to a friend, 'Come and take an $800 drive with me.' He looked at me as if he thought me insane. 'I mean it,' I said. There is a carriage that cost me $1,800. We will drive in it through the park. Tomorrow I will not be able to obtain $1,000 for it.' With jewelry it is much the same way."—Philadelphia Times.

Bicycle and Ostrich.

The Cape Times says that a peculiar experience befell a local cyclist, Donald Menzies, recently. He was riding along the main road from Cape Town to Sumerset West Strand when an ostrich, attracted apparently by what was in its eyes a novel vehicle, commenced to waltz around the bicycle. After a few preliminary antics the bird took it into its head to pace Mr. Menzies, and so long as it abstained from using its wings the cyclist and the ostrich managed a dead heat. However, after covering about half a mile in this way the ostrich utilized its stumpy wings as sails, and spurted away at record breaking pace, leaving the cyclist far behind. After that the bird troubled Mr. Menzies no more.

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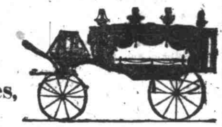

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Hamlet learns from Horatio and his companions of the apparition of his father's spirit. His prophetic soul already presages foul play, and through the darkness of his suspicions now rises the blood red sun of revenge. Up to this point Hamlet has been a perfectly sane and rational young man. In the meeting with the ghost, again, there is nothing abnormal in his attitude—he is overcome with awe on beholding his father's spirit in arms, and is prepared to follow him regardless of perils. In the second ghost scene Hamlet is overwhelmed with grief and indignation on learning of the infamy by which his father met his death. To the actor this is a scene of intense and prolonged excitement, more exhausting, because pent up, than perhaps any other passage in the whole play.

I have sometimes asked myself, with that second consciousness of the actor, whether thus to waste one's vital force could have any compensating effect upon the audience, for Hamlet's eyes are fixed on the ghost, his face is averted from the public, and probably the actor's excitement is lost upon them, but nevertheless conclude that it is necessary for the actor to undergo this strain of self excitation in order to reach that condition of hysteria which overcomes Hamlet after the ghost's departure. Here, again, Hamlet, it seems to me, behaves just as any highly wrought young man would behave on hearing of the terrible fate which had befallen a beloved father. He is all on fire to sweep to his revenge with wings as swift as meditation or the thoughts of love. But the fire is too fierce—it perforce burns itself out. And here the actor should make clear to the audience that physical exhaustion prevents Hamlet from carrying out the impulse of his mind—the weakened physical machine is, as it were, unequal to respond to the promptings of the mind.—Beerbohm Tree in Fortnightly Review.

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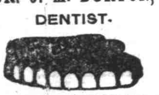

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J. Walter Brown will have his planing mill in operation in a few days, and will be prepared to fill all orders in that line.

Mrs. J. G. Mansfield has returned home and is now prepared to show the latest novelties in millinery, ladies dress goods and furnishings. Valuable information will be given to customers in regard to latest fashions.

Saturday afternoon last, a large crowd of little folks were given a party at the residence of C. R. McElroy, the occasion being the celebration of the seventh birthday of John Shuck McElroy, Jr. All present had a thoroughly good time.

A surprise party was given to Miss Annie McChord, Tuesday evening. Those present were: Misses Ella Craycroft, Bettie Irvine, Annie D. Grundy, Annie Cunningham, Myrtle Campbell; Chas. McChord, G. W. Colvin, Joe Claybrook, Garland Cunningham, W. D. McElroy, Will Hagan, Ernest and Joe Mansfield.

The C. L. S. C. met with Miss Jennie Brown on Monday evening; it was a delightful occasion. Some of the visitors kindly assisted in the regular semi-monthly lesson. After this Miss Annie Cunningham entertained the society with a beautiful recitation. Mr. Ernest Mansfield read an able paper on the "Educational Advantages of the Day;" Professor Gabby, an address on American History. Mrs. W. W. Ray and Miss Jennie Craycroft closed the meeting with music. They will meet with Mrs. Ray on March 30.

Mrs. Kate Williams, who is to open a millinery department in the store of Cunningham & Duncan, will be prepared for her opening on April 1st next. Mrs. Williams is now in Louisville and Cincinnati, where she is making a study of the Spring styles, with a view of selecting one of the most stylish and complete lines of millinery goods ever brought to Springfield. Remember the opening, April 1st, and don't fail to call and see her stock. Mrs. Williams has made a study of the business and is competent to do good work.

NOTICE.

There will be a mass convention of the Republicans of Washington county, held at the Court House, in Springfield, Ky., Monday, March 22, 1806, at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose of selecting delegates to represent said county in the Republican State Convention, to bh held at Lexington, April 15, 1896, and also to select delegates to represent said county in the District Convention for the Fourth Congressional district, to be held at Hodgensville, April 13.

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PERSONAL.

—W. O. Reed is in Louisville.

—Arthur Campbell is in Wheeling, W. Va.

—Miss Mary Noe is visiting friends at Valley Hill.

—Mr. Fred Shelton, of Lebanon, Spent Sunday here.

—Charles McChord was home last week from Richmond.

—Mrs. Dr. Ray, after a weeks illness, is able to be out again.

—Mr. A. Cunningham left Tuesday for Cincinnati, to be gone for a week.

—Miss Mag Thompson and Lettie Leachman were in Bardstown Saturday.

—Misses Lyda Grundy and Mattie McIvoy spent several days here last week.

—Misses Rice and Nannie Ray Thurman were in Louisville several days last week.

Miss Mary Bevill, of Lebanon, has returned home after a very pleasant stay among friends.

—The Misses VanArsdall, of Pleasant Grove neighborhood, were in town the first of the week.

—Dr. —— Cooper, of Montana, returned home after a pleasant visit to his nephew, Dr. J. B. Cooper.

—Mr. Irvine Adkinson and sister, Miss Ettie, of Cardwell, are visiting the visiting the family of W. J. Fowler.

—Mrs. Allen, mother of Mrs. S. B. Thompson, is here to remain at the Springfield Hotel during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Thompson.

—C. R. McElroy and his granddaughter, Miss Annie McChord, left Monday for a trip to Chicago and Kansas City. They will be gone several weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Thompson and daughter Naomi, left yesterday for an extensive pleasure trip South and West. They will visit New Orleans, and points in Texas, Kansas and Missouri, and expect to be gone several weeks.

Messrs. E. L. Davison, James Noe and John Shader, of Springfield, were in town on business yesterday, and were welcome callers at the Record office. Mr. Davison is the editor of the spicy NEWS-LEADER, having purchased the plant of Messrs. Noe and Hardin. —Nelson Record.

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The Turkish Way.

The late M. Carnot, president of the French republic, died from a stroke of apoplexy! Nobody ever heard of that except the subjects of the sultan and this is explained as follows in La Jeune Turquie, a bimonthly periodical printed in Paris by the Young or Liberal Turks: "Everybody has known the criminal attempt which cut off the life of M. Carnot. But as soon as the news reached Constantinople the papers were ordered not to mention it. Still, as the sultan was made to understand that it was impossible to conceal a fact like that of the death of the regretted president of the French republic, Abdul Hamid, answered, 'Let them say that he died from apoplexy.' He feared that the event might suggest to one of his subjects the idea of imitating Caserio."

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The Ancient Incas.

The flocks of llamas belonged to the sun and the inca. It was death to kill one. It certain seasons of the year they were collected from the hills and shorn. Large numbers were sent to supply food for the court and to be used at the religious festivals and sacrifices. Male llamas only were killed. The wool belonged to the inca, and was stored in the government depositories, and dealt out according as the people's wants required. In this way they were provided with warm clothing. When they had worked up enough wool into clothing for themselves, they were then employed in working up material for the inca. The distribution of the wool and superintendence of its manufacture were in the hands of officers appointed for the purpose. No one was allowed to be idle. Idleness was a crime and was severely punished.

All the mines belonged to the inca, and were worked for his benefit. The various employments were usually in the hands of a few, and became hereditary; what the father was, that the son became. A great part of the agricultural products was stored in granaries scattered up and down the country, and was dealt out to the people as required. It will thus be seen that there was no chance for a man to become rich; neither could he become poor. The spirit of speculation had no existence there.—Chambers' Journal.

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DELINQUENT LIST.

A Copy of the List of Delinquent Taxpayers for the Year 1894 Returned by John T. Craycroft, Sheriff of Washington County.

NAMES.	Prop'y	Th's	REMARKS.
Edward Masters', Delinquent list No. 5.			
Bauch Tobe		1	Insolvent
Burns Sam		1	Not found
Burns Nathan		1	Insolvent
Baker Eleven M	105	1	Insolvent listed wrong
Comley Dee		1	Insolvent
Daniel Dav'd		1	Insolvent
Gabbart Wm		1	Left county
Gabbart Huston		1	Left county
Gardner Richd		1	Left county
Hooper Squire		1	Insolvent
Hendren Thos		1	Insolvent
Hendren Sidney		1	Left county
Kinsey T C		1	Not found
Lewis Jepsie		1	Insolvent
McGinnis Jno		1	Not found
Prewitt J N		1	Insolvent
Reed Chas		1	Insolvent
Ross W S	80		Listed wrong
Seay Jas H		1	Insolvent
Shewmaker Uriah		1	Insolvent
ED MASTERS, D. S.			
H. B. Powell, D. S., Delinquent List 1884.			
WILLISBURG No. 3.			
Armstrong Elias		1	Not found
Arnold Henry M	25	1	Not found
Burns Jas	40	1	Insolvent prop'ty not foun
Baker Jas		1	Not found
Breckinridge Wm		1	Insolvent
Baker Jno S		1	Listed twice
Burton Edgar		1	Listed twice
Bishop Wm A		1	Listed twice
Burton Robt		1	Listed twice
Brewer C S		1	Listed twice
Beavers Jas		1	Listed twice
Cheatham Jno		1	Listed twice
Cutsinger Eli		1	Listed twice
Cutsinger Jas		1	Listed twice
Coulter Geo		1	Listed twice
Carter Barber		1	Listed twice
Cutsinger Jas W		1	Listed twice
Coulter Jas		1	Listed twice
Cheser Jesse		1	Listed twice
Coulter Emaline		1	Listed twice
Casteel Frank	25		Not found listed wrong
Crouch J B		1	Not found
Colvin Eugene		1	Listed wrong
Coossey Sherman	80	1	Left State
Cutsinger Richd		1	Insolvent
Dedman Marc	50	1	Not found
Foster Jas	65	1	Listed wrong
Gist Wm D	25	1	Left county
Greenwood A L		1	Not found
Green Wm		1	Insolvent
Green Dan		1	Insolvent
Hendren Asher		1	Insolvent
Hardin Jas	30	1	Not found
Hardin Wm		1	Insolvent
Hardin Isaac N		1	Insolvent
Hooper Sam'l		1	Insolvent
Hardin Mell		1	Insolvent
Hardin Jas Humphrey	30	1	Not found
Hardin Berry	60	1	Listed twice
Hardin Jetson	25	1	Not found
Hardin Robt		1	Insolvent
Hardin Wm		1	Insolvent
Hardin M N		1	[illegible]
Hardin Thos		1	Insolvent
Hardin Wash		1	[illegible]
Hardin Sam		1	[illegible]
Hardin Miles		1	
Hons Thos		1	Insolvent
Hardin Jas		1	Insolvent
Homan L A		1	Insolvent
Hill Clem		1	Insolvent
Keeling Jas		1	Insolvent
		1	Not found

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Her Style.

The editor of The New Woman was buying the mechanical outfit for her publication, the first number of which was to be issued in about three weeks.

"You wish to get an entire dress for the paper?" said the typefounder.

"Yes, sir."

"Have you any preference as to the style?" he inquired.

"Yes, sir," promptly replied the editor. "I don't want anything decollete."—Chicago Tribune.

The Letter of the Agreement.

Wife—This is cruel! And you told me I need never worry about your coming home late at night!

Husband—This isn't late at night, my dear; it's early in the morning. —Boston Transcript.

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A Circular Barn With Silo.

F. H. King, writing to Rural New Yorker, says: The circular barn with a silo in the center (described in a report of the Wisconsin station) is a thoroughly practical structure. There is no reason why the frame of the silo itself will not last as long as any other part of the frame of the barn. The silo is so planned and built that the dampness of the ensilage never reaches the studding, which are practically and continuously as dry as any other portion of the barn frame. This being true, there is no danger from rotting. There are now in Wisconsin seven of these circular barns and one at Mill Point, N. Y., built after the plan of the one referred to, each with a silo in the center.

Shelter Belts.

American Gardening very truly says that shelter belts in certain sections are as much of a necessity as they are ornamental to the home. These afford desirable protection from the cold blasts of the north and west and from the hot winds of the south and southwest.

KENTUCKY FAIRS.

The following bates have been decided upon as the time for holding Kentucky Fairs, each Association being allotted a week, and binding itself to continue its exhibitions from three to five days during that time:

Sharpsburg, week, beginning July 20.

Winchester, week, beginning July 27.

Danville, week, beginning August 3.

Campbellsville, week, beginning August 10.

SPRINGFIELD, week, beginning August 17.

Lebanon, week, beginning August 24.

Bardstown, week, beginning August 31.

Bowling Green, week, beginning Sepsember 7.

Franklin, week, beginning September 14.

Paducah, week, beginning September 21.

Open date (probably Henderson) September 28.

Owensboro, week, beginning October 5.

FARM·FIELD AND GARDEN

SWEET CORN AS A FARM CROP.

Some of the Advantages Derived From Growing the Sweet Varieties.

It is a matter of surprise to American Cultivator that the sweet varieties of corn are not more generally cultivated. Following is what this authority says on the subject:

The grain yield of sweet corn is as large as that of other corn, for though the ears are generally small, most kinds of sweet corn will bear two, three and occasionally more ears on a stalk. For those who merely grow corn to feed, the sweet variety has great advantages. Its stalks are richer and sweeter than ordinary field corn, if they are cut, as all corn should be, when the grain has just begun to harden. Besides this, sweet corn generally brings a considerably higher price in the market than other corn.

There are some difficulties in properly drying sweet corn, because of the excessive amount of moisture it contains, which, with its sweetness, makes its especial value. But when a sweet corn begins to dry it dries out more quickly than any other. If always cut and husked early, the ears can be placed for a day or two in an evaporator, which every farmer should have. In this time they will dry so much that the corn can then be put in large cribs without danger of becoming moldy. But a large portion of the sweet corn crop is sold in its green state and for much higher prices than ordinary corn brings by the bushel. Twelve to 15 cents is the price which green corn usually brings early in the season. This soon runs down, but even at the lowest rates corn sold by the dozen ears brings more than ordinary corn will after being husked, cared for until dry and shelled. The price paid by canning factories is still lower than that sold to grocers and private houses. But the farmers near a canning factory have always found sweet corn one of their best paying crops, and they have learned to grow it to the exclusion of ordinary corn, feeding the surplus on their farm.

Sweet corn when thoroughly dried can be ground and makes a light, palatable and easily digested meal. Ground with the cob, mixing a little common corn and oats with it, so as to make the cob grind more finely, gives a feed that will be eaten by all stock and that will be less likely to cloy them than ordinary grain meal. But there is a still more profitable use for sweet corn if cut while very green and its grain sliced from the green cob and spread thinly in an evaporator. This, if put when fully dry in bags in a cool place, will keep in good condition for using after being soaked in water a few hours to regain its original freshness. Corn so prepared is quite as good as canned corn and is less trouble to prepare. It is easy in almost any locality to create a demand for this dried sweet corn by leaving some at stores to be sold or giving a little on trial to those who will be likely to become customers. Wherever this evaporated corn is once tried it will soon create a steady and paying demand for it.

Nitrogen From the Air.

That nitrogen can be obtained from the air for fertilizing crops, instead of paying 15 to 25 cents per pound for it in the form of commercial fertilizer or ammonia containing substances, has now been abundantly demonstrated. Clover and other leguminous plants, if their roots are infected with the proper germ or bacteria, have the power to get their nitrogen from the air. The little nodules found on the roots of these leguminous plants contain minute organisms that enable the plant to fix free nitrogen. Just how this is done is not definitely settled, although progress in this direction is being yearly made by careful scientists in this country and Europe. American Agriculturist considers this discovery one of the greatest strides that agricultural science has made of late years, and calls attention to the fact that bacteria is also responsible for much progress in the dairy, and the effect of certain germs on soils and plants is coming to be better understood, so that the farmer can make use of the good bacteria and get rid of the bad ones. These and kindred topics are justly receiving much attention at the institutes and other farmers' meetings for discussion this winter.

Alfalfa as a Honey Plant.

A Kansas correspondent of The Orange Judd Farmer writes as follows:

The cultivation of alfalfa has added considerably to the honey crop of the United States. No other honey plant has given such a "boom" to beekeeping, especially in the western states. This plant stands the drought, and when well rooted seldom fails to produce heavy crops of hay and seeds when almost everything else fails, as its roots penetrate very deep in the ground, in many cases reaching water at 15 feet deep. I have seen a continuous flow of honey from this plant, commencing the middle of May and lasting until the first of September, for several years, without regard to drought or season. Alfalfa honey differs but little from white clover. It is in every respect as good, and is quoted in the markets at the highest price.

FARM FIELD AND GARDEN

REAL FACTS ABOUT HEN MANURE.

Why It Varies In Quality—Mixing With Absorbents—Use For Quick Crops.

This substance is richer than the dung of other animals because it contains both the solid and liquid excrement, whereas the dung of cows and horses contains comparatively little of their urine unless absorbents have been freely used. Nitrogen (ammonia) is voided mainly in the liquid part; hence if both solid and liquid excrement are obtained together this most expensive element of plant food is saved, together with the potash and phosphates in the solid excrement. Hen manure contains all these manurial substances except what the fowl retains for sustenance, growth and eggs. Therefore quality of droppings depends upon food consumed. Thus a pen of fowls fed on a concentrated mixture of wheat bran 3 parts, linseed meal 4, ground oats 6, gave a manure containing one-fourth more plant food than a like pen fed on cornmeal instead of this mixture.

The quality of hen manure as usually cared for varies widely. When first voided by well fed birds, it contains about 60 per cent water, 1.3 per cent nitrogen, phosphoric acid 1 and potash one-half of 1 per cent, with about 20 per cent insoluble matter (lime, magnesia, sand, etc.), the balance being organic matter of little nominal value. At 15 cents, 5 cents and 4 cents per pound respectively the nitrogen in a ton of such fresh droppings is worth $3.90, phosphoric acid $1, potash 40 cents; total value $5.30 per ton. But nearly half of this nitrogen may be lost by evaporation, and as it is the most valuable part care should be taken to preserve it. This may be readily done by freely using an absorbent under the roosts, also using it in the barrels or piles in which the manure is kept, carefully sheltered from moisture or heat. Dry earth, well dried muck, land plaster (gypsum or sulphate of lime) or even finely sifted coal ashes make excellent absorbents, but not lime or wood ashes because they might liberate the ammonia (nitrogen). Unless absorbents are thus used and the manure frequently scraped up, mixed with more absorbents and put in a sheltered place, The American Agriculturist, authority for the foregoing, calculates that about one half its value is lost.

The New York experiment station found that adult hens kept in confinement made about 30 pounds of droppings per year, fresh weight, or about 15 pounds air dry. On the above basis this would be worth 8 cents. Fattening fowls made more and much richer manure. Roughly speaking, therefore, it may be said that hen manure may be reckoned as worth 5 to 10 cents per fowl per year, according to the care taken of it. The plant food in hen manure is most in a soluble form, quickly available to plants and useful to give crops a good start or for quick growing crops.

The Best Use of Straw.

If the only object of grain growing farmers is to work their straw stack into manure as quickly as possible, the best way would be to give stock free access to it. They will eat some and trample down much more, than they eat. This makes a large manure pile, but so poor in plant food that it usually has to be rotted down before it is worth drawing very far. But this plan of letting stock eat from the stack has its disadvantages, says American Cultivator, authority for the following:

They work large holes into the stack trying to get at the chaff scattered through the straw and which they like better. If the stack is fenced in, a part of it may be cut down and fed to stock in their feeding racks.

What they reject may be either used as bedding or cut and mixed with some grain, meal or bran if fodder is very scarce. Bran makes an excellent feed with grain straw. By inclosing the stack many accidents will be avoided, as scarcely a winter passes but some poor animal is covered by the stack which falls on him after he has eaten holes nearly to the center. Now, when hay is scarce, as much use as possible should be made of the straw. The side next the thrashing machine will usually be fullest of chaff and worth most for feeding. It is at this side that stock always begin on a stack, and, pulling it out, much of the chaff is wasted and trampled under foot.

Hamlet and Hysteria.

Hamlet learns from Horatio and his companions of the apparition of his father's spirit. His prophetic soul already presages foul play, and through the darkness of his suspicions now rises the blood-red sun of revenge. Up to this point Hamlet has been a perfectly sane and rational young man. In the meeting with the ghost, again, there is nothing abnormal in his attitude—he is overcome with awe on beholding his father's spirit in arms, and is prepared to follow him regardless of perils. In the second ghost scene Hamlet is overwhelmed with grief and indignation on learning of the infamy by which his father met his death. To the actor this is a scene of intense and prolonged excitement, more exhausting, because pent up, than perhaps any other passage in the whole play.

I have sometimes asked myself, with that second consciousness of the actor, whether thus to waste one's vital force could have any compensating effect upon the audience, for Hamlet's eyes are fixed on the ghost, his face is averted from the public, and probably the actor's excitement is lost upon them, but nevertheless conclude that it is necessary for the actor to undergo this strain of self excitation in order to reach that condition of hysteria which overcomes Hamlet after the ghost's departure. Here, again, Hamlet, it seems to me, behaves just as any highly wrought young man would behave on hearing of the terrible fate which had befallen a beloved father. He is all on fire to sweep to his revenge with wings as swift as meditation or the thoughts of love. But the fire is too fierce—it perforce burns itself out. And here the actor should make clear to the audience that physical exhaustion prevents Hamlet from carrying out the impulse of his mind—the weakened physical machine is, as it were, unequal to respond to the promptings of the mind.—Beerbohm Tree in Fortnightly Review.

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